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| Request for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) | | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 70013.0251USU1 | |
| | | U.S. APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 10/038,626 | CONFIRMATION NO. 9254 |
| | | FILING DATE January 8, 2002 | |
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| TITLE OF APPLICATION DENDRITIC CHEMILUMINESCENT SUBSTRATES | | | |

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It is hereby requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in the above identified application from the Final Office Action, dated August 24, 2005, which extends the period for reply to _____.

Submitted herewith are the following items:

- ☒ a response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2005.
☐ formal drawings.
☐ (The Issue Fee due _____ has been timely filed.)
☐ a Notice of Appeal.
☐ (A timely response to the Final Rejection due _____ has been filed.)
☐ an Appeal Brief.
☐ a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).
☐ Other: _____
☐ Other: _____
☐ The fee for a _____-month extension of time has previously been paid on _____.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover any required fees. In the event any variance exists between this amount and the Patent office Charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a request is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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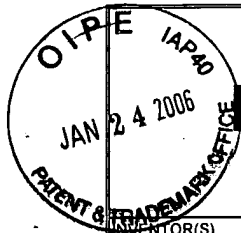
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
Certain fees are reduced by 1/2.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

\$450.00

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The following fees have been submitted:

APPLICATION FEES

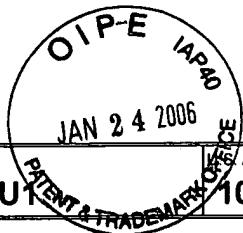
| | FEE CODE | DESCRIPTION | FEE | CALCULATE |
|--------------------------|----------|--|------------|-----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1011 | Basic Filing Fee - Utility | \$300.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1111 | Utility Search Fee | \$500.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1311 | Utility Examination Fee | \$200.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1012 | Basic Filing Fee - Design | \$200.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1112 | Design Search Fee | \$100.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1312 | Design Examination Fee | \$130.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1005 | Provisional Application Filing Fee | \$200.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1014 | Basic Filing Fee - Reissue | \$300.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1051 | Surcharge - Late Filing Fee, Search Fee, Examination Fee or Oath or Dec. | \$130.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1801 | Request for Continued Examination | \$790.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1814 | Terminal Disclaimer | \$130.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1452 | Petition to Revive Unavoidably Abandoned Application | \$500.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1453 | Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application | \$1,500.00 | |
| SUB TOTAL | | | | \$ 0.00 |

EXTENSION OF TIME FEES

| | FEE CODE | DESCRIPTION | FEE | SUBMITTED |
|---------------------------------------|----------|--|------------|-----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1251 | Extension for Response Within the First Month | \$120.00 | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1252 | Extension for Response Within the Second Month | \$450.00 | \$450.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1253 | Extension for Response Within the Third Month | \$1,020.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1254 | Extension for Response Within the Fourth Month | \$1,590.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1255 | Extension for Response Within the Fifth Month | \$2,160.00 | |
| Credit for Extensions Previously Paid | | | | |
| SUB TOTAL | | | | \$ 450.00 |

APPLICATION SIZE FEES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. | | | | \$0.00 |
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CLAIM FEES

| CLAIMS | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER PREV. PAID FOR | MAX. PAID | NUMBER OF ADD'L CLAIMS | RATE | | |
|--|--------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------|---------|--------|--------|
| Total Claims | 0 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 20 | | x \$50 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 0 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 3 | | x \$200 | \$0.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) | | | | | + \$360 | \$0.00 | |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = | | | | | | | |

APPEALS/INTERFERENCE FEES

| | FEE CODE | DESCRIPTION | FEE | SUBMITTED |
|--------------------------|----------|--|------------|-----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1401 | Notice of Appeal | \$500.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1402 | Filing a Brief in Support of an Appeal | \$500.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1403 | Request for oral Hearing | \$1,000.00 | |
| SUB TOTAL | | | \$ 0.00 | |

POST-ALLOWANCE FEES

| | FEE CODE | DESCRIPTION | FEE | SUBMITTED |
|--------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|------------|-----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1501/1511 | Utility/Reissue Issue Fee | \$1,400.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1502 | Design Issue Fee | \$800.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1503 | Plant Issue Fee | \$1,100.00 | |
| SUB TOTAL | | | \$ 0.00 | |

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| TOTAL OF FEES SUBJECT TO REDUCTION FOR SMALL ENTITY STATUS | | | \$450.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2. | | x 1.00= \$450.00 |

FEES NOT SUBJECT TO REDUCTION FOR SMALL ENTITY STATUS**POST-ISSUANCE FEES**

| | FEE CODE | DESCRIPTION | FEE | SUBMITTED |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1811 | Certificate of Correction | \$100.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1812 | Request for Ex Parte Reexamination | \$2,520.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1813 | Request for Inter Partes Reexamination | \$8,800.00 | |
| SUB TOTAL | | | \$ 0.00 | |

MISCELLANEOUS FEES

| | FEE CODE | DESCRIPTION | FEE | SUBMITTED |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1053 | Non-English Specification | \$130.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1806 | Submission of an Information Disclosure Statement | \$180.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 8001 | Printed Copy of Patent <u>0</u> copies x | \$3.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 8021 | Recording Assignment, Agreement or Other Paper <u>0</u> properties x | \$40.00 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1504/1505 | Publication/Republication Fee | \$300.00 | |
| SUB TOTAL | | | \$ 0.00 | |

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| TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED | | | \$450.00 |
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| NAME | Steven B. Kelber | REGISTRATION NO. | 30,073 |
| SIGNATURE | | DATE | January 24, 2006 |
| NAME | | REGISTRATION NO. | |